

## WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains high on the Northern Coast, and fine weather extends southward to Oregon, while in Southern California heavy rains are reported. Moderately cold weather prevails in the Prairies.

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## FATEFUL DAY CONFRONTING CONFERENCE

Today's Meeting Between French and British Premiers to Decide Fate of Parley

### SOME RESULTS ARE ALREADY ACHIEVED

Determined Attitudes of France and Italy Constitute Obstacle to Full Agreement

(Associated Press)

LONDON, March 15.—The fate of the London Naval Conference is considered to be hanging on the conversation of Prime Minister MacDonald and Premier Tardieu at Chequers tomorrow.

The French Premier arrived from Paris tonight and spent the evening with M. Briand, French Foreign Minister, and the other French delegates.

#### IMPORTANT MEETING

Early tomorrow he and M. Briand will go to the country retreat of the British Prime Minister for one of the most important meetings of European statesmen since the World War. When they come back to London tomorrow night, M. Tardieu and M. Briand will carry the knowledge that the London conference has completed its work or whether it is to go on in view of power delegations staying in London in the hope that France and Italy can liquidate their naval stalemate.

Briefly, conference accomplishments can be listed under four broad headings:

1. Complete American, British and Japanese agreement regarding naval ratios and limitations.

2. A five-power battleship holiday for five years, until a general disarmament conference is called at Geneva in 1935-1936.

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### Postmasters of Dominion Given Their Discharge

Ottawa, Ont., March 15.—A total of fifty-eight postmasters were dismissed in Canada during 1929, according to a reply given in the House of Commons yesterday by Hon. P. J. Veniot, Postmaster General. Of these four were in Manitoba, six in Saskatchewan, nine in Alberta and one in British Columbia.

Shortages in accounts caused the largest number.

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## From Croydon to Sydney



### The Queen Pays Visit to Public House and Learns How Men's Beer Is Drawn

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LONDON, March 15.—Great Britain's Queen knows considerably more of beer, bartenders and bar-rooms today than she ever knew before. Yesterday she visited a British public house, and found out for herself some of the things of which so much has been written and spoken.

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### Purple Cactus From Tropics Is Found on Beach

LONG BEACH, March 15.—What would be of interest to the average tourist and no doubt of special interest to professional men engaged in geodetic survey work and charting of ocean currents, was the finding on Long Beach, V.I., of a cactus peculiarly adapted to tropical climates. This plant is of the size and shape of a very large pineapple, and is protected by a multitude of large spines headed with a large purple blossom. The plant was found at the tide-line. It was impossible to preserve the specimen for classification.

## LEGISLATURE CURTAIN MAY DROP SOON

Liquor Administrative Amendment and Loan Bill Are Chief Outstanding Subjects

### ROADS POLICY TO BE EXPLAINED

There is a general understanding that the Legislature will close its session before the end of the present week. While there is a very considerable amount of business yet to be disposed of, the Opposition for the past few days has shown no disposition to hold up the business of the session.

The Leader of the Opposition on the contrary has taken a decided opposition to some of the policies pursued by the Government, especially with respect to its financial plan. He, however, has given the information to the House that he does not wish to hold up business, realizing that the Government side is strong enough to put through the measures submitted through.

The Liquor Act will be opened for amendments. It is practically assured, the amendments to affect the conduct of the business. It has been suggested that the bill will make the act Government control measure, which was the policy the electorate sought when it voted on the question.

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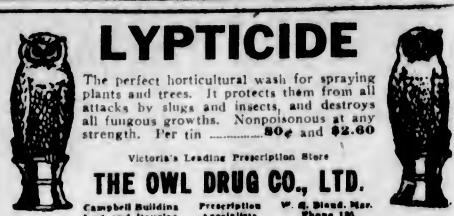
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## COMRADESHIP OF REUNIONS WORTH WHILE

Speakers Stress Great Good Accruing From Get-Together Annals of Returned Men

ATTENDANCE WOULD EVER GROW SMALLER

"The comradeship exemplified in these annual reunions should grow dearer and dearer," was the way in which Colonel Peck, V.C., prefaced his remarks in responding to the toast, "Kindred Battalions," at the annual banquet of the 102nd (North British Columbia) Battalion, Canadian Chorus of Comrades dining-room last night. "You must remember, gentlemen," Colonel Peck continued, "that in a few years it will not be as it is tonight. These reunions, as we are getting on, will grow smaller and smaller, and eventually this splendid comradeship, wonderful as it is, must come to an end. While we live, let us make the most of it. There was a splendid battalion. You went over time and time again to beat the most highly-touted fighting machine of its time, possibly the greatest war machine ever developed. I believe we could do the same thing again under any circumstances. While we are not professional soldiers, it is because we have the spirit to win in our hearts." The toast was proposed by Comrade G. McRae.

Proposing the toast to the "102nd Battalion," Comrade Brown stated he had received a wire from Colonel Ryan, regretting not being able to attend the reunion. Comrade Brown, referring to Colonel Lister, mentioned a tribute which had been paid him, and added more than once in his speech to the effect "that Colonel Lister never sent a man where he would not go himself."

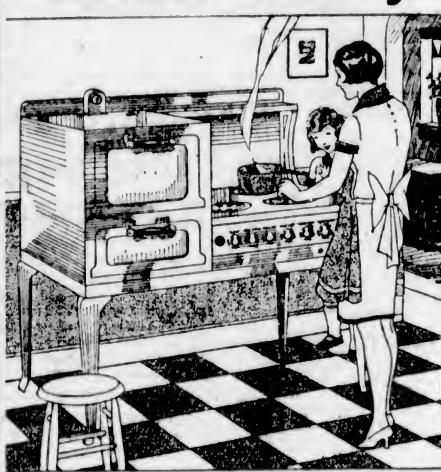
### FRIENDSHIPS RENEWED

Responding, Colonel Lister, M.P.P., said that the battalion annual reunion was a mighty fine thing. Friendships made in France were renewed. In civilian life, such friendships as were made overseas could not be possible. All soldiers, stated the speaker, were in the habit of saying their own battalions were the best. He said he could say that other battalions were equally as good as the 102nd, which probably had been more fortunate than others in being placed as it was. The 102nd had a unique history, in that it never failed to take an objective, and, after taking that objective, never failed to hold it. Many things happened over there which battalions commanders had to contend with, and other battalions should not be pitied because they were not able, through circumstances, to attain the record achieved by the 102nd.

The toast to "Our Guests" was proposed by Comrade Woodcock and responded to by Captain Fitzsimmons, M.P.P., who spoke briefly. The Colonels' Lister, saying that no man stood higher in the estimation of the people in the district of British Columbia they both came from than the colonel of the 102nd. And he had no hesitation in saying that Colonel Peck was the most popular member of the Legion, and hoped he would continue to serve the public for many years to come. Captain Fitzsimmons advised the members of the battalion present at the reunion not let religion, nationality or politics interfere with their organization, and that they played the game of good citizenship; he would be a poor Canadian, a poor Britisher, who would not have a warm heart for the man who had done such a splendid service to the country overseas.

"Our Ladies" were proposed by Major O'Neill, and responded to by Major Lyons. The "Smart Toast" was observed and "The King" honored. The chairman for the evening was Comrade F. R. Sims. During the evening entertainment was furnished by Comrades Cassidy, Brown, Obie and Ingledew, and Williams, and the audience sang in which all joined. The committee in charge was Comrades Mansfield, Cassidy, McAfee, Sims and Williams.

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SOUTH PLAINFIELD, N.J. March 15—Thirteen airplanes were destroyed today by fire which caused a loss estimated at \$200,000.

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Seedless Raisins, 2 lbs. for	<b>19c</b>
Tomatoes, solid pack, 2's; 2 tins	<b>21c</b>
Jameson's Baking Powder, 12-oz. tins	<b>19c</b>
Small White Beans, 4 lbs.	<b>25c</b>
Jameson's Tea or Coffee, 1-lb. pkts. for	<b>47c</b>
Jasper Strawberry Jam, 4-lb. tins	<b>44c</b>
Pork and Beans, 2's, 2 tins	<b>19c</b>
Fels-Naptha Soap, 3 bars	<b>22c</b>
Matches, large boxes, each	<b>9c</b>
Tomato Ketchup, quart bottles	<b>23c</b>

## Manitoba Plans Extensions for Hydro System

WINNIPEG, March 15.—Extension of the Provincial Hydro System to all main centres of population within the next three years is the hope of the Manitoba Government. The programme outlined by Hon. D. G. McKenzie, administrator of the power system, calls for expenditures of \$2,600,114, and includes \$802,608 for transmission lines and \$220,000 for farm services.

## LOS ANGELES STRUCK HARD BY TORNADO

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door at one end of the plant and whipped out the other end, taking the back wall of the steel sheathed building with it. Several persons were lifted bodily and tossed about. There were no reports of serious injuries, but several persons received minor cuts and abrasions. Firemen's poles were snapped off, railroad box cars unroofed, windows and other glass panels shattered and various merchandise damaged.

### WAS LIKE WATERSPOUT

Witnesses of the freak storm said it had all the appearance of a waterspout as it writhed through the air, hovering or darting downward to lick at buildings in its path. Predicting the twister would last but a minute, spectators watched it rain sideways from light sprinkles to heavy downpours visited most of Southern California with more than three and one-half inches already measured at some points. Predictions were for continuous precipitation during the next forty-eight hours.

## ITINERARY OF VICEROY AND PARTY ISSUED

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The following Sunday morning church service will be attended at the cathedral. On Tuesday, April 8, Her Excellency will open the Canadian exhibition of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire. The party will return to Vancouver the same night, remaining until April 20, with a visit to Chilliwack during the stay.

They will arrive at Quesnel on April 21 and spend the following day at Kamloops. Returning to Vancouver on the twenty-second they are to leave for Stuart Lake on the twenty-seventh and will attend church at Prince George, and leave in the evening for Edmonton.

The party is scheduled to arrive at Edmonton on April 28, and the following day they will pay an official visit to Wetaskiwin. An official visit to Yorkton will be paid on April 30.

Arriving in Winnipeg on May 1, His Excellency will make a presentation to Mr. A. C. Will, of the Boy Scouts Association. Their Excellencies will lunch at Government House and leave in the afternoon to return to Ottawa.

### QUESTIONER IS SATISFIED ON SECURITY

The statement of the position of affairs with regard to loan companies in the provinces was made by the Minister of Finance, Hon. W. G. Shelly, in the House last week, has been followed by Mr. George Pearson withdrawing from the order paper the motion which he has had there for some time, calling for a return of correspondence with the Bank of Canada, the Conservative Savings & Loan Association.

The statement of Mr. Shelly was to the effect that the various loan companies now operating in the province, according to the report made by the Inspector, were in a position to meet all liabilities.

Mr. Pearson said that he was writing to the Inspector of Accountants, and in view of the answer given authoritatively, he asked for the discharge from the order paper of the motion standing in his name.

### TO COUNTERACT MOVE

NEW DELHI, India, March 15.—With a view to counteracting the Mahatma, Gandhi movement against the salt tax, the Bombay Government's Central Board of Revenue plans to invest every police officer above the rank of constable in the Presidency of Bombay—excepting in Sind and Abenpur—unless he is the holder of a salt monopoly officer.

That would enable him to order confiscation of salt made otherwise than under the Government monopoly, or take any other action necessary.

Gandhi and his followers would be prevented from dumping huge quantities of troops on British soil.

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### OBJECTIONS RAISED

For years some such tunnel as this has been discussed. At one time it was considered inadvisable upon military grounds, as it might enable an enemy country to dump huge quantities of troops on British soil.

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Arrangements had been made for the publication of a new hand book at an early date. Registrations were increasing steadily, and the figures showed that the Saanen breed was forging ahead of the Toggenburgs and Nubians.

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The All-Vegetable Laxative**Medical Profession Issues Statement on Legislation****Council of College of Physicians and Surgeons Sets Out Its Case in Regard to Recognition of "Irregular Cults"**

The following statement, prepared by Dr. Preston, Registrar of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of British Columbia, on behalf of the regular medical profession of British Columbia, represents their views with regard to medical legislation at present pending in the House.

This brief was presented at a recent meeting of the council of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of British Columbia with the executive of the British Columbian and Vancouver medical associations, and met with unanimous approval. A copy is supplied to The Colonist by members of the Victoria Medical Society.

"All that the medical profession has now, or at any time endeavored to insist upon, is a principle of paramount importance to the general public, that they only realize it, that before any men or women should be allowed to treat the sick they should be made to show before some competent body that they are capable of recognizing disease, surely a reasonable demand. Can it be argued that before anyone should expect to receive the legal right from the Legislature to treat the human body, that he or she should not be able to demonstrate a knowledge of the structure of the human body (anatomy), the function of the organs (physiology), and the knowledge of pathology and last, but not least, the ability to recognize disease, so far as is humanly possible, when they see it? Are not these fundamental requirements more in the interests of the general public than in those of any particular group?

"When such competency has been shown, and only then, a legislature may reasonably allow a group of healers to practise their particular or peculiar form of treatment, but not before.

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"This question has been exhaustively inquired into by various special committees of the Legislature, and his principle has always been upheld, that before any man or woman can be given the right to treat the sick, he or she must be able to show a certain standard of education in these fundamental subjects. Is there not man or woman who will deny the reasonableness of that principle?

"It has been objected to that such examining boards contain medical men. The regular profession in this province has no desire whatever to participate in those examinations. All they insist upon is that such examinations shall be properly conducted by competent men, who do not belong to the medical profession, but by those men, who possess little or no knowledge of those subjects themselves are obviously unfit to examine others. It should not be necessary to point out that an examination of this kind would be the worst kind of a farce and provide no safeguard whatever for the unfortunate public.

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"In this province and all over our Dominion we are spending huge sums of money for higher education. Before our sons and daughters can even enter the study for the regular profession of medicine they have to possess a high standard of preliminary education. Following that, the medical course itself takes from five to seven years in any of our Canadian universities, and is followed usually by from one to two years' hospital work, so that it is from five to ten years before a young man or woman is considered fit to be entitled to legal recognition, and it is agreed that this length of time is none too great for the tremendous responsibility involved."

"It is difficult, therefore, to understand the apparent willingness of certain bodies to drag down this high standard of modern education and, without any adequate realization of all the issues involved (the great question of infectious diseases and the like of the public health), appear to be ready to grant recognition to those who have had no or no qualifications at all, and who come to us with little or no preliminary education and not from our own Canadian universities, but very largely from unrecognised institutions and so-called schools in the United States of America. It should be further pointed out that in order to carry out the findings of the various special committees, the Legislature of British Columbia has, by amendments to the Medical Act, provided and made available for any member of these cults, a simple standard of examination, but it is significant that the reason, of course is obvious, that while these facilities have been available for the past few years, not a single member has taken advantage of the opportunity to show his or her qualifications, and yet in the face of that fact these people are again demanding recognition and the right to examine each other.

"One reason advanced for the granting of recognition to these cults is that they have received it from other provinces. We are unable to agree that if a thing is wrong it can be made right because recognized elsewhere.

"The medical profession of this province has endeavored to make its position clear. It is deeply impressed with the gravity of its responsibilities and the importance of these responsibilities to the public health, but having done this it feels that its duty has been done, the ultimate responsibility lies with the members of the Legislature on whose shoulders, as the guardians of the public health, that responsibility must rest."

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Yesterday morning the twenty-two British boys who are to be placed on farms in this province with the ultimate object of later becoming owners of land in British Columbia, arrived at Agassiz. They will spend about a week there at the experimental farm and then proceed to their allotments.

Places have been located for practically all of them. Two of them are coming to Vancouver Island, and others to the Fraser Valley, Cariboo, Nicola, Similkameen, and South Okanagan.

The boys were met at Agassiz by Dr. W. H. Gaddes, Colonization Commissioner, and Mr. R. G. Sutton, District Agriculturist, who will represent the provincial authorities in connection with taking care of the boys.

Another party of fourteen boys left Great Britain yesterday for this province under the plan in hand.

**GOODWIN HOPES FOR RELEASE****FORMER VICTORIAN LOOKS FOR PARDON, IN LIGHT OF ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE****Santa Ana Canyon Murder Case Comes Up Again in Southern California**

Rev. Philip A. Goodwin, former Victorian, who is serving a life sentence in Folsom prison on a murder conviction, is working for a pardon, according to Mrs. Anna C. Cal, correspondent of The Daily News, of Fullerton, California.

The case aroused great interest here when an effort was successfully launched in Victoria to save Goodwin from the gallows on his early conviction, which looks to the British Consul-General in San Francisco, backed by subscriptions here, a new trial was granted on the charge of murder of J. J. Patterson in the Santa Ana Canyon, Orange County. On that occasion, Goodwin was convicted of malice and intent of life imprisonment imposed.

The story attributes to the counsel who defended Goodwin on the second trial valuable confessions from Gaines, who was alleged to be an accomplice, and who refused to identify himself in the second trial. Gaines was later tried and was sentenced to a term of not less than ten years for second degree murder.

**ST. PATRICK'S DAY IS COMMEMORATED****Victoria Unit, No. 12, Army and Navy Veterans in Canada, Stage Big Smoker**

Members of the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada, Victoria Unit, No. 12, commemorated St. Patrick's Day with a monster smoking concert in their clubrooms, 512 Fort Street, last night. The occasion was presided over by Major General Sir W. A. French, past Dominion president of the association, who in his usual happy style addressed the members. Major C. J. Callin, provincial president and head of the Ladysmith unit, together with several members from Up-Island, were also present.

President A. H. Down extended a cordial welcome to the visitors and appointed the bands and appurtenances of the Victoria District Fire Insurance Agents' Association; Mr. George W. Schetky, of Vancouver, representing Vancouver Fire Insurance Agents' Association; Mr. George G. Buckley, president Springfield Fire and Marine Insurance Company, Springfield, Mass., and many prominent business men.

Among those present were Mr. A. W. Blake, of Vancouver, and Mr. D. A. McGregor, of Victoria, representing the British Columbia Insurance Underwriters' Association; Mr. Fred W. Walker, president; Mr. Stewart Clark, vice-president; Messrs. D. W. Campbell, Sam Clegg, Worshipful Master of Victoria Columbia Lodge No. 1, A.F. & A.M. Newcomer, secretary; Mr. Frank G. Griesbach, Major Callin, and the contributing artists. Comrade George Gardiner filled the chair, assisted by the members of his committee, Comrades A. H. Flinninson, W. T. Scott, J. Greenwood, E. E. Hardisty, H. Callow and T. R. Wheadon.

Special reference was made to the loss of one of the Gordon McLeod Players to consumption, the Poppy Fund following their performance on Wednesday, March 26.

The following artists contributed to the programme: Comrades Capt. T. R. Wheadon, Robert Lea, A. London, E. E. Hardisty, Capt. James McGrath and Major Kridge, of the Gordon McLeod Players; A. Lea, J. Foster, H. Clear, C. Jasper, Bob Webb and Tom Dalzell.

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## CAPITAL AND POPULATION

The Provincial Government will pass up a great opportunity of performing a constructive act in the interests of the prosperity of British Columbia if it allows the present session of the Legislature to elapse without either abolishing or substantially reducing Succession Duties. In asking that action should be taken along this line without any further delay the desire is to see a pre-election promise fulfilled. The new revenue to be derived from provincial use from the Railway Belt and the Peace River Block should offset the immediate loss to the treasury of wiping out Succession Duties. It is true that with added territory to administer the new revenue will be wanted, but, coupled up with the accession of a very considerable acreage to provincial jurisdiction, a policy of taxation that is going to induce residents of the best type to come to the province is not only desirable but would prove a statesmanlike stroke of business.

The Provincial Government in the future development of British Columbia wants capital investment. It wants population. It wants the right kind of population to be encouraged to come and live here. These results would be accomplished automatically were Succession Duties no longer imposed. It is not often that it is possible to point to a policy of denial whereby a Government can promote prosperity. As rule constructive suggestions in this regard involve heavy expenditures. In the case of Succession Duties, however, it requires no vision to anticipate what their removal would mean. The results would be axiomatic and they would accrue in a cumulative way to the growth of both population and capital investment in British Columbia. It would be eminently more to the purpose of constructive statesmanship if the Provincial Government, instead of contemplating a reduction in the price of liquor and the consequent loss of revenue from this source, would abolish Succession Duties and leave liquor prices as they are for the time being. So immediate would be the beneficial reaction to no capital levy being made on the estates of those who die here that within a year or two the Attorney-General's Department would be in a position to give an even more substantial reduction in liquor prices than it contemplates at present.

There is another angle to this issue of the incubus which Succession Duties impose on provincial progress. Hereafter the provinces, in control of their natural resources, are to evolve immigration policies of their own. British Columbia, with its vast areas of vacant lands, wants both capital and population. It can have both, without building up a costly immigration department and spending hundreds of thousands of dollars in propaganda work and in assistance to settlers, by abolishing a form of taxation which is intensely unpopular and which militates, more than any other form of impost, against the advent of both capital and people. Within the next year or so, in the task of securing both capital and population, British Columbia will be in definite competition with the other provinces of the Dominion. By the abandonment of Succession Duties now we can steal a march on our potential competitors. The taking of this course would, in every probability, obviate any necessity for immigration expenditures of any character. It is a question of taking the long view. It means not alone saving ultimately an outlay of millions in land settlement schemes but the bringing in of new millions to the provincial treasury because of an influx of wealthy residents, who would invest in and develop our resources, thus creating employment and launching British Columbia into a new era of prosperity. Any new failure to take advantage of the opportunity to remove Succession Duties postpones the era of prosperity that would undoubtedly follow in the wake of such a course of action. Will the Government act now, and in doing so give a stirring example of a forward policy to the rest of the Dominion?

## EDUCATIONAL TRADITIONS

Dr. Cyril Norwood, the headmaster of Harrow School, has written a book on the English tradition of education which contains food for thought, especially in these days when there is too much mechanization in the training of the young. The basic principles of education in the English tradition are religion, discipline, culture and service. Dr. Norwood believes that there should be resistance to all schemes which present education as a process of training individuals in the mass for the service of various parts of the educational machine. He wants to see more individuality, more personality, more inspiration, and the safeguard of the supremacy of the mind applied against the process of mechanization. There is a tradition in culture liable to be forgotten where a mechanized educational system persists. It is the principles of the great leaders of thought of the centuries, the gifts which were given to the world by Athens, Palestine, Florence, Venice, Old England and Old France.

Dr. Norwood recalls that when Arnold became headmaster of Rugby he changed the whole tone, spirit and outlook of the public schools within a generation. What he did was to impress the practical parts of religion, namely, uprightness, honor and industry in relation to Church and State. In other words, he inculcated the idea of honest service. He believed in awakening the intellect of every individual boy. He combined the idea of chivalry with that of service to the community and left behind him a tradition worthy of all educational emulation. That tradition, according to Dr. Norwood, is based on religion, develops an intellectual appeal, encourages games, casts off Puritanism and has no fear of art, music or the drama. Its inspiration is the duty of preparation for the service of the generation into which boyhood is to emerge.

The bedrock foundation of such a tradition of education is religion. It is the real and vital force which, more than anything else, prevents the mechanization of education. Secondary to it is discipline which involves the duty you owe to yourself, to the constituted authorities and to our fellows. Then there is culture, founded on the historical, political and philosophic value of the ancients. At the same time, in the realm of culture, it is recognized that all knowledge is valuable in itself and for itself. True education, according to Dr. Norwood, preserves the mental alertness and the eternal curiosity of all healthy children. Edward Bowen is quoted to this effect:

"To convinced boys that intellectual growth is noble, intellectual labor happy, that they are traveling on no purposeless errand; to help the nobility of their minds by every faculty of moral force, of physical vigor, of memory, of fancy, of humor, of pathos, of banter, that we have ourselves and lead them to trust in knowledge, to hope for it, to cherish it. Athletics, a game to be played for the game's sake, that no inferior advantage is to be taken, teaching subordination of self. Lastly, service, when boys are taught to take up their membership of society, to look on life as an adventure of co-operation, to regard morality as a duty to their neighbor. These are the values which blossom in enlightened self-development, and so continue the higher life and the English tradition of education. The work of teaching will be respected when the things that are taught begin to deserve respect."

## THE GORDON MCLEOD PLAYERS

The Gordon McLeod Company has now been playing for several weeks at the Royal Victoria Theatre and during that time has given its audiences both instruction and delight by the players, fine diction, skillful acting and the wit and humor of the comedies. Laughter is an excellent tonic and such light comedies as "The Rotters" and "Meet the Wife" are fine antidotes to the worries of everyday life and to the distractions of innocent bridge. The French have a standard of language fixed by the members, forty in number, of the French Academy, instructed by Cardinal Richelieu in 1635. The British have no such standard but depend for correctness and clarity of speech on the best usage prevailing at the time.

Mr. McLeod's company is excellent in this respect. In the usual stock company there is generally a star player, while the other members are mediocre. Here all are well educated, exceedingly good, and some are even worthy of a foremost place in their profession. "Movies," like the poor, are always with us in abundance, but a fine stock company with its reality of persons and its more intimate contact with an audience is a rarity and an asset to the city. The expenses of the theatre are high, and if the company is to continue here during the Spring and Summer months an increased audience will be necessary. There is a very general hope that the company will be able to continue here.

## THE UNTRIED LEADER

Whether Mr. Gandhi could put any constructive policy before the country, and whether he could lead it to any form of contented self-government in the event of his being able to control the people whom he incites to action, are questions that need not be discussed because he has not yet shown any constructive ability.—Bombay Times.

It is, in a great measure, by raising up and endowing great minds that God secures the advance of a nation, and the accomplishment of His own plans on earth.—Albert Barnes.

When general observations are drawn from so many particulars as to become certain and indisputable, these are jewels of knowledge.—Dr. Isaac Watts.

A solid and substantial greatness of soul looks down with neglect on the censures and applauses of the multitude.—Joseph Addison.

Great names stand not alone for great deeds; they stand also for great virtues, and, doing them worship, we elevate ourselves.—Henry Ollie.

That man is great who rises to the emergencies of the occasion, and becomes master of the situation.—Dann Platt.

Those who cannot themselves observe can at least acquire the observation of others.—Earl of Beaconsfield.

Mind is the great lever of all things; human thought is the process by which human ends are ultimately attained.—Daniel Webster.

The more fiercely a man or a cause is attacked the more certain it is that they will be victorious.—Count Michael Karolyi.

When the truth cannot be clearly made out, what is false is increased through fear.—Refus.

## The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, at 8 p.m., March 15, 1930.

## PRECIPITATION AND TEMPERATURES

	Rain.	Snow.	Min.	Max.
Victoria	—	—	35	50
Nanaimo	—	—	37	50
Vancouver	—	—	28	50
Kamloops	—	—	18	42
Prince George	—	—	4	40
Eastview Point	—	—	30	48
Prince Rupert	—	—	34	44
Atlin Lake	—	—	10	36
Port McNeill	.02	—	0	12
Seattle	—	—	40	46
Portland	—	—	44	56
San Francisco	—	—	44	54
Spokane	—	—	36	50
Los Angeles	—	—	42	58
Penticton	—	—	20	39
Vernon	—	—	19	43
Victoria Falls	—	—	20	51
Nelson	—	—	17	46
Cranbrook	—	—	15	38
Calgary	—	—	2	40
Edmonton	—	—	18	34
Swift Current	—	—	22	24
Prince Albert	—	trace	6	24
Qu'Appelle	—	trace	20	22
Winnipeg	—	—	30	36

## FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, continued fine and cold at night.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Continued fine, with light winds at night.

## SATURDAY

Maximum 50  
Minimum 50  
Average 42  
Minimum on grass 29  
General state of weather, clear. Bright sunshine, 10 hours, 45 minutes.

## 6 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.97; wind, N., 13 miles; clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.94; wind, W., 10 miles; clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.94; wind, W., 4 miles; clear.

Prince George—Barometer, 30.10; calm; clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.18; wind, NW., 4 miles; clear.

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## Note and Comment

By R. E. D.

He is the greatest human benefactor who makes two blades of grass grow where one does not grow.

The above apothegm, or epigram, or proverb, whatever it may be, is not our own, of course; we are not even sure whether it has been quoted correctly, but the wisdom it expresses is simply folly according to the theories of the present day. Wheat, the staff of life, is of more importance to the world of men than grass, for grass must be absorbed and assimilated by the human system indirectly through the agency of animals, whereas wheat by the simple process of grinding in the mills enters directly into the system. Consequently the individual who can make two ears of wheat grow where only one grew before should be the greatest human benefactor.

But, according to the wisdom of the Canadian Wheat Pool and its auxiliary organization in the United States (acquired by experience), a big crop of wheat is not a blessing, but a calamity. Before the farmer of Canada was organized for purposes of orderly marketing, he used to pray for a bountiful harvest, and all the people joined in his invocation. The heavens were scanned daily by the eyes of anxious men, and oracles were consulted by apprehensive men, for the purpose of finding out whether the conditions and the gods were favorable to the growing crops. Today we are told that a great national business disaster can be averted only by unfavorable seasons and poor crops. Instead of praying for bountiful harvests, those interested in agriculture are hoping for, if not actually praying for, a famine, such a famine as brought fortune to the first corn pool formed in Egypt thousands of years ago.

During our brief experience in the realm of agriculture in Eastern Canada one of the features of farm life we made a special note of was the eagerness with which the farmer scanned the news in his weekly paper. The farmer was not at all interested in social events. He was mildly interested in political events compared with the interest he displayed in the affairs of Europe. In those days when the war drums were not being beaten, there were always portents of war simmering through the air. The centre of the disturbance was always in the Balkans—"the cockpit of Europe." Turkey always was covetous of the estate of the Balkan people, and Russia was the champion of the Christians of the Balkan nations—Russia and Mr. Gladstone. Always the first question of a farmer who met a newspaperman from the city was: Are there any prospects of a European war?

The farmer of those days was not like the prairie farmer and the prairie newspaperman of the present day. He did not demand the dismantling of warships and the disbanding of armies because fighting on either sea or land was an inheritance from barbarous and savage ancestors, was destructive of human life and productive of terrible human suffering; that is, he was not hypocrite or a humbug. He hoped for war because war always had a stimulating effect upon the price of wheat. He believed that in the event of war wheat might attain the almost unprecedented price of a dollar a bushel. At that time there was not a bushel of wheat produced on the prairies for purposes of export.

As there are to be no more wars, other agencies must be brought into force for the stimulation of the price of wheat. One remedy has been tried, and, unless something of a miraculous character happens, it will prove a failure. More wheat has been produced in other parts of the world than was suspected by the investigators of the Wheat Pool. Canadian wheat is the best, but it is not indispensable. Possibly wheat can be produced more cheaply in Argentina, Australia, in Central Europe and in Eastern Europe, than in America. At any rate, the wheat growers of all those countries were willing, and apparently able, to sell their products at lower prices than the Canadian farmers, and the British miller bought the inferior and cheaper wheat, and did the best he could with it. The Manitoba Free Press says the British baker is a greedy, grasping profiteer and is "grinding the faces of the poor," but the British consumer of bread is buying his loaf at a much lower price than the Canadian bread-eater.

Orderly marketing having failed to produce the results hoped for, another experiment is to be made to the hope of producing more satisfactory results. The farmer of Canada and the United States is told that he must grow one grain of wheat where he grew three before. If the market cannot be com-

tinued, the quantity of wheat grown for the market can. The acreage sown in grain is to be reduced. Immigration is to be prohibited and settlement reduced. The growth of Canada is to be retarded in the interests of the wheat-grower. But the growth of wheat in other countries may be stimulated by the curtailment of wheat-growing in this country. Class-consciousness appears to be akin to madness.

Next Wednesday, March 19th

## Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

## HEALTH AND POLITICS

Sir—Will you of your courtesy allow me, as a retired surgeon with twenty-six years of active surgical experience in the south of England, to make some remarks on the bill introduced in the House of Commons? The bill, known as the "Drugless Healers," that no evidence had been adduced in support of their claims that would justify the alteration of the present law.

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MONDAY—Gyro Club, Empress Hotel; luncheon, 12:10 p.m.

TUESDAY—Kiwanis Club, Empress Hotel; ballroom; luncheon, 12:10 p.m.

TUESDAY—Round Table, Empress Hotel; supper, 6:15 p.m.

WEDNESDAY—Kumtuks Club executive, club quarters, 7 p.m.; literary circle, club quarters, 8 p.m.

THURSDAY—Rotary Club, Empress Hotel ballroom; luncheon, 12:10 p.m.

FRIDAY—Kiwanis Club, Empress Hotel; supper, 6 p.m.

THURSDAY—Kumtuks Glee Club, residence Miss Alma Russell, 27 Boyd Street, 8 p.m.

FRIDAY—Usadians Club, Dominion Hotel dining-room; luncheon, 12:45 p.m.

Dr. Ernest Thomas, of Toronto, who is visiting Victoria in the interests of the New Educational Fellowship, will address the Gyro Club tomorrow at its weekly luncheon meeting at 12:10 p.m., in the Empress Hotel. Dr. Thomas is field secretary of the Social Service Department of the United Church of Canada, and is a very interesting speaker.

On Monday, March 24, the usual luncheon will be suspended and a supper meeting will be held that night at 6:45 o'clock in the Empress Hotel, when Gyro Gordon Stovel, of Winnipeg, president of Gyro International, will be the special guest of honor. It is expected that a record attendance of members will be on hand to welcome the Gyro chief.

"Around the World With R. J. Cromie," will be the subject of a discourse which Mr. Robert J. Cromie, publisher of The Vancouver Sun, will deliver at the joint luncheon of the Kiwanis Club and the Chamber of Commerce today at noon in the Empress Hotel ballroom. His "trip" will give the members a world perspective and peek into Japan, China, Java, India and Europe, and the speaker will cite the economic comparisons of each country with Canada in an unusual and interesting way. The Kiwanis orchestra will contribute to the programme.

**AIDS FOR CHILDREN**

Kiwanis next June will have finished eight years of work with underprivileged children. While assistance to crippled children is only part of its service, for its work is with any unfortunate child, Mr. Fred C. W. Parker, executive secretary of Kiwanis International, says it must be remembered that over 80 per cent of all the crippled children come from the homes of the poor.

"This means that Kiwanis Clubs must finance surgical clinics and later secure surgical, hospital and rehabilitation aid. Even then assistance does not end. The discharged child, no matter what his condition, is often given educational help."

Two classification talks will be given at the Rotary Club luncheon at 12:10 p.m. in the Empress Hotel ballroom, when the speakers will be Captain Chester I. Dawson and Dr. Vernon Smith. The Rotary orchestra will render musical offerings.

While there will be no general meeting of the Kumtuks Club this week, several events of interest to the members are scheduled. The executive will meet on Wednesday night at 7 o'clock in the Empress Hotel, Langford Street, and the literary circle will convene the same evening at 8 o'clock in the clubrooms. On Thursday night the glee club will meet at 8 o'clock at the home of Miss Alma Russell, 27 Boyd Street.

**KINSMEN PROGRAMME**

Making the tenth anniversary of the inception of the Kinsmen movement in Canada, the Victoria Kinmen Club will meet in special session on Thursday night, at 6 o'clock, in the Empress Hotel. All other Kinmen Clubs in the Dominion will meet in their respective cities on that evening, and the same form of programme will be carried out by all the clubs.

The Victoria group of the Loyal Knights of the Round Table will hold a supper gathering at 6:15 p.m. on Tuesday night in the Empress Hotel. Round Table Business will be discussed.

**TOC H MEETING**

The Victoria group of the Loyal Knights of the Round Table will meet on Wednesday evening, March 26, at 6 o'clock in the TOC H, 521 Bastion Street.

**Why Potatoes Slump**

BELFAST, Ireland, March 15.—Desire of women to retain a rimp figure was given as a reason for a slump in the potato demand by Sir Edward Archdale, Ulster Minister of Agriculture, in Parliament yesterday.

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**Grain Situation  
Not Affected by  
Imports of Coal**

HALIFAX, N.S., March 15.—No connection whatever between the grain situation and the importation of foreign coals is seen by Hon. Gordon S. Harrington, Nova Scotia Minister of Mines, asked to comment yesterday on complaints of Mr. A. McPhail, president of the Canadian Wheat Pool, that the administration of the pool had resulted in abandonment of a British proposal which would have aided the export of wheat. Col. Harrington said that while he was speaking for the Government and not the operators, he had no knowledge of any protest against any such proposal. He issued a statement yesterday that local grain importers would be preferable to have British rather than foreign coal.

"Personally I see no connection whatever between the grain situation and importations of foreign coals," he said.

**SUITABILITY OF  
FIELD IN DOUBT**

Aviation Authorities Say Lansdowne Area Inadvisable for Flying School

A proposal to lease Lansdowne field for the purpose of carrying on a flying school there was recently laid before the City Council by Mr. J. R. Angus, president of the British Legion. Local men also sought the use of the field for the same purpose, and it was later understood that both groups of applicants were endeavoring to reach an agreement under which they would co-operate.

It is expected that a report from the committee on this subject will be presented to the City Council on Monday.

Dr. MacRae heartily concurred with the retiring president and expressed the hope that the local branch would grow to include the many writers who are resident in Victoria, which, he thought, ranked as a literary centre.

Dr. MacRae was acclaimed with hearty approval by the meeting, and Mr. Carmichael was the recipient of a vote of thanks moved by Major Longstaff and seconded by Dr. MacRae.

Others officers elected were:

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MR. A. CARMICHAEL RETIRES  
FROM PRESIDENCY OF IS-  
LAND BRANCH

Major Longstaff Gives Illustrated  
Account of West Coast Trip,  
Stressing Life-Saving

The Victoria and Island Branch Canadian Authors' Association at their annual meeting held in Victoria College on Friday, elected Dr. A. O. MacRae to succeed Mr. Alfred Carmichael, retiring president. Mr. Carmichael, in his brief address, thanked the executive and members for their support during his two years' term of office, and congratulated them upon the excellent work he had done for the Canadian writers to become members of this association.

At the close of the business meeting the members crossed to the lecture hall, where Major F. V. Longstaff, representative of the British Life Saving Association, gave a beautifully illustrated account of a trip up the West Coast of Vancouver Island on the Ss. Maquinna. Maps and charts of the waterways of the coast, and a very fine collection of lantern slides assisted the audience to see the places described, and appreciation of the hardships of a sailor's life was greatly stirred by pictures of life-saving methods in Great Britain as compared with the as yet inadequate service provided for the West Coast. Major Longstaff was warmly thanked for his address by Dr. MacRae and Mr. C. C. Pemberton.

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Mrs. Angus reported that five of the short stories brought in by members of the short story group during the past year, had been sold to magazines. This group has been very active and helpful.

Mrs. Flos Jewell Williams, of Calgary, who was present at the meeting, was presented by the retiring chairman with a lovely corsage bouquet with the best wishes of the local branch acknowledgement of the inspiration and pleasure her attendance at the meeting during her four months' stay in Victoria had given them. Mrs. Williams whose first novel, "Judgment of Solomon," won second place in the Hodden & Stoughton competition seven years ago, has also written "Furrows End," and a third novel, "Broken Gods," the Graphic Publishing Company, Ottawa, will be on the book stalls in August.

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## NON-MEDICAL SUPPORTERS TO DISCUSS ISSUE

Alleged Breach of Undertaking Has Occasioned Renewal of Agitation by Association

## MEETING CALLED FOR TOMORROW

Hearing that medical members of the House have expressed themselves unwilling to allow passage of the Drugless Healers and Chiropractors Bill next week, and that its course will be challenged, the supporters of these professions have called a meeting to voice a protest tomorrow evening at the Progressive Thought Temple, Pandora Avenue.

They maintain that they have ceased from agitation on the promise of a bill for which Mr. H. D. Twiss is sponsor, which would separate the chiropractors and drugless healers from the medical profession, and recognize both as professions. The title "doctor" is to be dropped.

Dr. H. Nowell, of Vancouver, has been asked to be the chief speaker at the meeting, but owing to the illness of his daughter, which cannot be communicated, another representative will appear. Dr. A. F. Barton and Alderman E. S. Woodward are also expected to speak, the meeting being under the auspices of the recently-formed Medical Freedom Association.

It was stated yesterday that, in view of certain negotiations by the College of Physicians and Surgeons with a nonmedical man who practices dietetic treatment here, the latter will state his case to the meeting.

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**COPPER OUTLOOK IS NOT BRIGHT**

Stocks Rising in Spite of Curtailed Production—South African Developing

(B.C. Bond Corporation, Ltd.)

NEW YORK, March 15.—In connection with all copper issues Anaconda Copper was weak and shorts experienced no difficulty in covering their commitments at their own prices. Indeed, the downward movement was due to new heavy short selling rather than liquidation. The immediate future looks黯淡。Anthonay copper stocks are not satisfactory. Copper stocks are rising despite the curtailed production. The buyer strike which has now been on for months, seems to be still in full force and with low activities in many industrial plants the buyers apparently have the upper hand. Copper stocks are well organized and can maintain the current price if they insist on it, but this will lead nowhere. In the end they will probably be the bigger sufferers because with curtailed production the overhead increases.

Meanwhile, South African mines are being rapidly developed and within a few years they will play an important part in the world's copper market and should lead to a sharp reduction in prices. African mines are easily exploited and have a considerably higher percentage of copper than the other countries now in operation. It is our belief that before long copper prices will be reduced, and this, of course, will cut into the income of the companies. The position of Anaconda is nevertheless sufficiently entrenched to hold its own for some time. Under normal conditions Anaconda should be able to maintain a \$5 dividend basis and we therefore do not look for a further sharp recession from Anaconda's present level. We recommend beginning buying operations in Anaconda a few points below the low level.

**GREAT WESTERN SUGAR**—The fear that Congress may once more revert to the sugar tariff is responsible for the lack of buoyancy in this issue. In our opinion the sugar situation has been settled and on the basis of prospective domestic producers should do considerably better than they have fared in the past few years. Great Western is particularly favored, owing to its dominating position in the best sugar field and its ability to compete on a par with foreign producers during the period of severe depression in the industry. As soon as the tariff is definitely adopted this stock should sell much higher; it is worth while buying and holding for appreciation in value.

First Collegian—Did you hear what the absent-minded professor's son did on his first night out for the boxing team?

Second Collegian—No, what?

First Collegian—He hooked his chin to the right of his opponent's right stories.

Tuesday—Executive meeting of the Britannia Branch Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., in the board room, Johnstone and Broad Streets at 7:30 o'clock.

Wednesday—Regular meeting of the Army & Navy Veterans in Canada, Victoria United No. 12, in the club rooms, 612 Fort Street, at 8:30 o'clock.

Friday—Good Friday road race committee of the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., will meet in the club rooms at 7:30 o'clock.

Thursday—Regular meeting of the Tuberculosis Veterans Association, Branch No. 18, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., in the club room, Bastion Street, at 8 o'clock. The executive will meet at 7:30 o'clock.

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## CITY & DISTRICT

**Roof Fire**—A roof fire at 458 Duffin Road, Saanich, at 12:30 o'clock yesterday, was extinguished by the fire department before any great amount of damage was done.

**Hustlers' Club**—The Hustlers' Club held its monthly banquet in Temple Hall on Friday. During supper the orchestra played a number of selections. Mr. Harold Beckwith was the speaker-guest for the evening. After the singing address the members listened to several numbers by local talent.

**Passes Through City**—Mr. James Martin Miller, well known Washington D.C. journalist and author, passed through Victoria on Friday on his way from Seattle to Vancouver, in the course of a Canadian tour in which he is gathering information of interest for another book.

**Short Wave Club**—The Victoria Short Wave Club, meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Cooper, 2024 Carnarvon Street, last evening learned that it was now affiliated with the Amateur Radio Relay League. One new member was admitted before the meeting closed with refreshments.

**Promptly Extinguished**—Fire of unknown origin was discovered in the basement of the Royal Canadian Legion Building at 10 o'clock yesterday and extinguished by the fire department before much damage resulted. Five bush and three grass fires were also attended to by the department during the day. Little or no damage resulted.

**Swannery Increased**—The city parks committee has transferred to Beaver Lake sanctuary a pair of swans, making two pairs of domestic swans there, as well as the wild birds which took up location there during the frosty season. The domestic birds have all been moved from the swannery at Beacon Hill Park and are reported to be quite at home.

**Get Ready for Tests**—The examiners under the Department of Education have been appointed to the holding of the next examination, and the preparation of the papers which will be used in this connection. The examiners occupied the committee rooms which were not in use, owing to the fact that there was no sitting of the house.

**Leaves for Kamloops**—Mr. J. B. Munro, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, left yesterday for Kamloops. He will proceed to Birch Island, North Thompson River, to inspect the C.N.R. and Department rail train which will be there on Monday. Mr. Munro will return and attend the bull sale at the Spring stock show, which will be held in Kamloops on Wednesday.

**Reserve of Officers**—Officers on the Reserve of Officers and Retired List, Canadian Militia, are notified that in order to have their names retained on these lists it is necessary for them to report in writing to the District Officer Commanding, Military Headquarters No. 11, Esquimalt, B.C., on or before April 1, giving their address for the current year. Those failing to report will be struck off the list in question.

**Pensioners Visit Sick**—A general meeting of the Canadian Pensioners Association was held on Friday evening, with the understanding that the committee of the association should represent the Armistice Period Committee in calling on the sick today. It was further resolved that the Canadian Pensioners should turn out en masse on May 25, in order to visit and decorate the graves of fallen comrades in the Ross Bay and Royal Oak Burial Parks.

**Dean Quinton**—Will give a lecture on behalf of the funds of the Women's Parish Guild on St. Patrick's Day (tomorrow), at the Memorial Hall on "The Modern Newspaper," at 8 o'clock. All are invited.

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**Roller Skating Masquerade**—The Gray Line Roller Rink, 756 Yates Street, on Monday, March 17, from 10 to 12 p.m. Prizes awarded to both ladies and gentlemen for best costume, best represented character and most original costume. Extra session from 10 to 12 p.m. Admission to extra session, 25¢.

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# Women's Work and Institutes

## More Leaders Needed for Girl Guide Supervision

Although greatly handicapped by the paucity of guides throughout the province, the Girl Guide movement is steadily increasing and a more sympathetic understanding between the public and those directly concerned with it is generally being effected. In her address as provincial commissioner yesterday, at the afternoon session of the annual conference of the British Columbia Girl Guides Association, Mrs. Alan Morkill made an eloquent appeal for more guides.

The past year, ending which was given in Vancouver last Spring, did much towards stimulating an interest in the work. Mrs. Morkill said during the course of her report, "Our system of work and play," she continued, "which has as its foundation the ideals of reverence, loyalty and thoughtfulness

for others, and on its practical side aims at the development of such qualities and the study of such occupations and handicrafts as will occupy the mind of busy and happy people should be productive of immediate results. It was not enough that a girl should emerge from her Guide company resplendent with rows of badges, stripes and other testimonials of a successful career as a Guide, but that she should be a better equipped, more useful person, because of being a Guide, and thus, better equipped to fill her place in the world.

Miss Alline Stewart Williams read a most concise and comprehensive report as provincial secretary, in which she said that there had been an increase in all branches of work during the year, regretted that some local associations, two ranger companies, nine Guide companies and eleven Packs were obliged to be disbanded due to lack of guides. Eighty-three guides had been warranted during the year. One expressed her thanks to "all the members of the Girl Guide Association throughout the province with whom I have been in communication, for I feel that it is greatly due to their thoughtfulness, friendly consideration and willingness to co-operate that the work of the provincial office has again shown progress and that guiding is being more firmly established in all parts of British Columbia."

### OTHER REPORTS

Miss Gladys Davies, of Vancouver, read a report as deputy provincial commissioner, and Miss Hilda Leighton read the provincial camp adviser's report. Other reports were as follows: Lone Guides, Mrs. D. Munday; Eagle Owl, Miss Butler; Burnaby Division, Kamloops, Mrs. Ainsley; Nelson, Cowichan Valley, Mrs. Kitch; Fraser Division, Mrs. Heale; New Westminister, Miss Davies; Point Grey, Mrs. Moxon; South Okanagan, Mrs. Middley; South Vancouver Island, Mrs. Walter Nichol; and Vancouver Division, Miss Davies.

While healthy, sturdy children were finding joy in guiding, the introduction of Guiding and Boys' work among crippled and invalid children was something of more recent date, it was reported, and the delegates were delighted to hear that Miss Florence Fife-Smith, of Vancouver, had started a Guide company for crippled and invalid children which, while entailing a great deal of work, was a great step in the development of the work. In response to their own request, the children of the Queen Alexandra Sanatorium at Malahat Beach are also to have a Guide company.

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**Chocolate Icing** — Two cups of powdered sugar, two tablespoons of butter, the white of one egg (unbeaten), one tablespoon of milk and one ounce of chocolate.

Miss Spiers, Y.M.C.A., area director for the southern counties of England, gave a most inspiring talk on Guide work, dealing with the subject from a broader point of view than that of necessity, characterizes local reports. She emphasized the need for fostering the spirit of internationalism and that coming within the sphere of Guide life should "come from within, rather than by the old method of pumping knowledge into the child."

"The principle factor in Guide training is religion," she continued, "she urged the delegates to keep the standards of their badge tests very high for it is through this, so doing that the best work could be realized. Not only should guidance be an important factor in home and community life, but its principles as applied to national life might do much towards creating a better understanding and promoting peace. When the young people of all countries are brought together by common interests of work and play, there is no limit to which the greater understanding may lead, and mere differences of language will no longer prove barriers."

Miss Denny, of Cowichan, moved a very hearty vote of thanks to Miss Spiers at the conclusion of her address.

Following the singing of the National Anthem the delegates adjourned to the home of Mrs. Alan Morkill, Pemberton Road, where tea was served.

After the routine business in the morning, announcement was made of the election of Miss Spence as honorary treasurer, succeeded Mrs. Rupert Guthrie, whose connection in connection with the local association of Girl Guides prevented her carrying the provincial office as well, and of the reappointment of Miss Leighton as camp adviser, both being received with enthusiasm.

Misses Mary Ogilvie, of Toronto, were appointed delegates for British Columbia to the forthcoming Dominion Council meeting, with Miss Madeleine Mara as alternative. All three were elected members of the British Columbia Council.

### PROVINCIAL COMMISSIONER

In her presidential address, Mrs. Morkill said:

"The reports which you have just heard have done credit to the faithful and unrelenting work which has been carried on by commissioners and guides, also local associations throughout the province."

"As usual, our one serious problem is the shortage of guides, and I wish to assure you in what way our plea could reach the ears of these younger women who, while living in comfortable homes with ample leisure, seem to have so little realization of the responsibilities which such comfort and leisure should bring, that they are not actively identified with any form of service," she continued.

### MAKING GOOD CITIZENS

"We must always remember that our work is to help and train girls which has as its fundamental basis the ideals of reverence, loyalty and thoughtfulness for others, and on its practical side aims to the development of such qualities and the study of such occupations and handicrafts as will help to make them useful and happy people, should be produced in large numbers."

### WORLD CONFERENCE

"As director of the World Bureau of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts, Dame Katherine keeps in touch with all societies working for children, and in July next, from July 5 to 17, the first world conference under the new organization will take place at Paris, France. The world committee has been working through meetings and correspondence to draft a constitution which will meet the views of all the different nations recognized by the World Bureau, and I hope that at this coming conference here in this country will be represented by two delegates a constitution will be adopted and a name chosen for the association."

### STEP TOWARDS PEACE

"A great step forward has been taken in the history of guiding girl scouting, and surely it is not too much to expect that an association will be an important part in that final attainment of peace upon earth which is mankind's prayer and hope."

"The old saying that a chain is no stronger than its weakest link holds true in binding, and so let us see to it that the chain of years as indeed in all the years to come, the links which we are forging in our province will prove themselves worthy to be trusted in the Canadian chain which is helping to encircle the wide world," concluded Mrs. Morkill.

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### Clubs and Societies

#### Pythian Sisters

The Pythian Sisters of Island Temple, No. 8, held their regular meeting on Thursday evening with Mrs. White presiding.

During the meeting the anniversary birthday party was discussed and members were asked to bring in their suggestions.

The Pythian committee was ap-

pointed in conjunction with the knights in preparation for the annual Summer picnic. Mrs. O. Carr and Mrs. B. McDowell were ap-

pointed. At the close of the meeting the knights entertained the sisters and their friends at a card party.

Mr. J. W. G. Moore, First, Mr. D. Dodd; second, Miss W. Dodd; consolation, Mrs. L. Hockley; Gen-

lemen, first, Mr. R. Wragg; second, Mr. Allison; consolation, Mr. Rich-

ardson.

#### Fair West Assembly

The regular business meeting of Fair West Assembly No. 30, Canadian Daughters League was held Thursday evening in the New Thought Hall with a good attendance. Mrs. Barr presided and much important business was transacted; new members were received and a committee appointed to arrange for the entertainment of the grand assembly. Mrs. H. L. Rose, who will pay her official visit to the assembly on April 10. Members and friends will be entertained at the next social meeting to be held on March 27 by court whist and an informal dance, music for which will be provided by the assembly's orchestra. Arrangements are in the hands of Mesdames Cotell and Pearson, with Mrs. Fitzsimmons in charge of refreshments.

#### Daughters of England

The quarterly meeting of Lodge Primrose No. 32, Daughters of England was held on Friday evening in the Sons of Canada Hall, the president, Mrs. Bissenden presiding. The election of officers of Lodge Primrose, Alexander No. 18 were present, the occasion being the election of the district deputy grand president, Mrs. E. McKenzie of Lodge Primrose, being elected by acclamation. Mrs. Garrett gave a splendid report of the dance and card party, which proved a financial success, also the report of the rummage sale convened by Mrs. H. L. Rose, who will pay her official visit to the assembly on April 10. Members and friends will be entertained at the next social meeting to be held on March 27 by court whist and an informal dance, music for which will be provided by the assembly's orchestra. Arrangements are in the hands of Mesdames Cotell and Pearson, with Mrs. Fitzsimmons in charge of refreshments.

#### Junior League

At the March meeting of the Junior subdivision of the Catholic Women's League arrangements were made for the formation of a study club to be held in April for the consideration of civic, social and religious topics of the day.

Rev. Father G. E. Evans addressed the members on this subject. A number of new members were welcomed to the subdivision. Mrs. McCabe, Miss Pauline Parkinson, Miss Marjorie Spencer and Miss Teresa Welmer.

#### Typographical W.A.

The regular meeting of W.A. No. 65, to Victoria Typographical Union, was held on Thursday afternoon in the Eagles' Hall, Mrs. A. E. Johnson presiding. Good reports were brought in by various committees.

The next social affair will be a card party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Griffiths, 3223 Quadra Street, on Saturday, April 5. Further announcement of this will be made later.

#### The Ladies' Auxiliary

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Canadian Pensioners' Association gathered in general meeting last Thursday evening. Plans were made for a silver tea to be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. Pensioners, their wives and families are invited. During the week a number of new applications for membership were made by widows and other dependents of war veterans.

#### W.R.A. Review

The regular meeting of Queen Alexandra Review, No. 1, W.R.A., will be held tomorrow at 7:30 p.m. in the K. of C. Hall, Government Street. Attention will be reminded of the interesting mystery dinner and dance to be held after the meeting at 8:30 o'clock. Tickets may be obtained at the door or at the Royal Dairy, View Street.

#### Columbia W.A.

The monthly meeting of the diocesan board of Columbia W.A. will be held on Friday at St. Mary's Hall, Yale Street. At 10:30 a.m. Holy Communion will be celebrated in St. Mary's Church by the rector, Rev. Canon Nunns. At the afternoon session at 2 o'clock, the speaker will be Mrs. M. Gillies, B.Sc., of the Social Service League staff.

#### Cobble Hill W.A.

The St. John's branch of the W.A. had a reception at the home of Mrs. T. Lockwood yesterday afternoon, as a farewell to Mrs. H. P. Tooker, the late president, who will shortly leave this district. In a felicitous address Mrs. E. Wace, vice-president, made a presentation of a handsome prayer

row afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. Miles, 1340 Stanley Avenue, and a bridge party in the evening. There will be a tea at 2 o'clock and dancing in the afternoon. The proceeds will go towards the building of a hut at the Sunshine Camp in memory of Mrs. Croft, which the chapter is planning to erect.

#### St. Joseph's Shower

St. Joseph's Hospital Annual Linen shower, convened by Mrs. Alex McDermott, will be held Wednesday afternoon, from 3 to 5 o'clock, at the nurses' residence, Collison Street entrance. A musical programme under the direction of Mrs. Charles Wilson will be given. Any donations of linen will be greatly appreciated.

#### St. Patrick's Tea

The Ladies' Aid of Knox Presbyterian Church, Stanley Avenue, will hold a St. Patrick's silver tea on Thursday afternoon, from 3 to 5 o'clock. There will be a musical programme, and a stall of novelties will offer patrons an attractive shopping center before or after tea.

#### Women Conservatives

The regular meeting of the Victoria Women's Conservative Association will be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the conservatory rooms. A good attendance is requested as the new constitution will be brought forward for discussion.

#### Canadian Daughters

Assembly No. 5, Canadian Daughters League, will meet on Tuesday evening next in the Sons of Canada Hall, View Street. The business session will commence at 7:30 o'clock, and bridge, which is under the direction of the Eastern group, will begin promptly at 8:30 o'clock.

#### Veterans' Auxiliary

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada, will hold its regular meeting at 1122 Mearns Street, on Tuesday. The election of officers will also take place.

#### Bishop's Cradle Chapter

The regular monthly meeting of the Bishop's Cradle Ministering Chapter will be held at the home of Mrs. J. O. Wilson, 526 Linden Avenue, on Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock.

#### St. Martin's Tea

The ladies' monthly meeting of St. Martin's Church, Ober Avenue, will have a shamrock party in the Hall on Wednesday at 3 o'clock.

#### Victoria Subdivision

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The return from school little Dolly, aged ten, was pulled on to her daddy's knee and informed that the ladies' tea this day brought her a big surprise, a little baby! She seemed glad and apparently said, "I want to write and tell brother Tom." The father took an opportunity to read what she had written. He received somewhat of a shock on reading the following: "Dear Tom—it's come off today. You've lost; it's a boy!"

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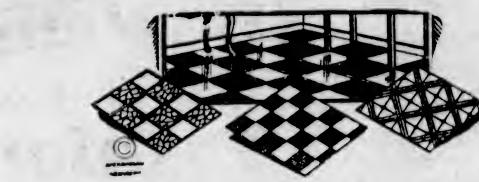
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Sunday—Breakfast: French omelet, toasted cereal biscuit; stewed raisins. Lunch: Stewed corn, buttered beets; shredded lettuce and peanut butter dressing. Dinner: Roast chicken, asparagus, baked celery, salad of grated raw carrots and chopped celery, apple sauce.

Monday—Breakfast: Breakfast cereal topped with cream but no sugar, stewed figs. Lunch: Baked potato, spinach, salad of shredded raw cabbage. Dinner: Vegetable soup, roast beef, steamed carrots, green peas (canned), raw celery, Jell-O or Jell-Well.

Tuesday—Breakfast: Codded eggs, Melba toast, stewed prunes. Lunch: Eight-ounce glass of grape juice. Dinner: Baked halibut, string beans, salad of sliced tomatoes, baked beans (canned).

Wednesday—Breakfast: Eggs poached in milk, re-toasted triscuit, baked apple. Lunch: Pint of buttermilk, ten or twelve dates. Dinner: Broiled fillet of sole, asparagus, buttered beets, lettuce and tomato salad, no dessert.

Thursday—Breakfast: Coddled eggs, Melba toast, stewed apricots. Lunch: Eight-ounce glass of grape juice. Dinner: Roast veal, spinach, baked tomatoes, salad of head lettuce, dish of beans (canned).

Friday—Breakfast: Eggs poached in milk, re-toasted triscuit, baked apple. Lunch: Pint of buttermilk, ten or twelve dates. Dinner: Broiled fillet of sole, asparagus, buttered beets, lettuce and tomato salad, no dessert.

Saturday—Breakfast: Coddled eggs, Melba toast, stewed apricots. Lunch: Oranges as desired. Dinner: would gain her ten thousand dollars

Broiled steak, string beans, pineapple with stems, celery.

Stuffed pork chops. Have the chop cut about an inch thick and trim off all fat around edges. With a sharp knife, slice each chop through back as far as the bone, making a sort of double decker, between which place a tablespoonful of stuffing. Tie the following dressing: Crush a sufficient amount of Mornay toast (grinding through a food chopper is better) and moisten with milk. Add the desired quantity of chopped celery, minced ripe olives and raisins. Mix together, being careful to moisten only enough to hold ingredients together. Fasten the ends of each chop together with toothpicks and bake until thoroughly done. Drain on brown paper just before serving and garnish with uncooked puffed raisins around the edge of the platter.

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"Yes, I do. I suppose I've got to go to church all my life, anyway, and it's a good deal harder to sit still than to stand up and holler." Boyland.

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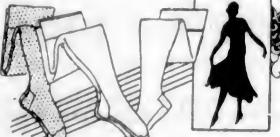
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Chiffon Hose—Silk to the Top  
Chiffon Silk Hose with effective Spearpoint lace will to the top. Cotticelli make, so well liked by the well-dressed woman. Shades for Spring tan, sunburnt, kasha beige, nature, pearl-blush, blue fox and gunmetal. Sizes 8½ to 10. Per pair ..... \$2.50

—Main Floor, HBC

## DAHLIA SOCIETY PLANS FOR YEAR

Third Exhibition Will Be Held This Fall—Increasing Number of Fanciers

The Victoria Dahlia Society is looking forward to a banner year. There is a very marked increase in interest in this fine Fall flower. A number of new members are adding their zeal and enthusiasm to this hobby.

The climatic conditions in Victoria are ideal for the dahlia. The not too hot sun of the day gives the bloom a color that is not found in other than the law.—Walter Lippmann.

Leave to Appeal Is Requested in Market Act Case

VANCOUVER, March 14.—Leave was sought from the Court of Appeal by Mr. H. S. Wood, K.C., representing independent fruitgrowers, to appeal direct to the Supreme Court of Canada a judgment of Mr. Justice Murphy, who dismissed an action attacking the constitutionality of the Produce Marketing Act.

The plaintiff was Mr. A. C. Lawson, fruit rancher, Grand Forks, and the defendant was the Interior Tree Fruit and Vegetable Committee of Direction, Kelowna. Mr. H. B. Rob-

ertson, K.C., appeared for the committee with Mr. T. W. Norris.

The court will hear further argument on the application later.

Granby Production Cuts Production at Anyox

Advices from Northern British Columbia received yesterday tell of further reductions of staff contemplated by the Granby company at its Anyox plant. Recently a large reduction was made, every department being affected, and hours reduced to five days a week. Output was cut by 25 per cent as the reason, and if present prices for the metal are to be maintained, output must be curtailed according to an agreement entered into by the big producers.



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# Women's Activities

## HER EXCELENCY TO OPEN DISPLAY

Antiques of Interest Will Be Shown at Gonzales Chapter Exhibition

Returning to England  
After Visit Here



## CHARM OF FRANCE WELL DESCRIBED

Mrs. H. T. Archibald Addresses Audience at Victoria College After Visit to Paris

A recent meeting held by the special committee authorized by Gonzales Chapter to continue the work of organizing the forthcoming loan exhibition that is to be held by the chapter in the near future, very satisfactory reports were received.

The committee remained with great pleasure at the Viceregency Willingdon, who is at the same time the honorary president of the Imperial Order the Daughters of the Empire, has graciously consented to perform the official opening ceremony. This function promises to be a very brilliant affair.

A most kindly response has been given by those to whom the appeal has gone that for a few days they would share treasures of great common interest with the public, and arrangements for the catalogues and assemblies of these widely varied exhibits are now in hand. Gonzales Chapter will be delighted to provide those desiring them with the necessary tickets of entrance. The regent, Mrs. Tyrwhitt Drake, telephone 6940L, will be glad to be told of any particularly interesting article that would be appropriate for purposes of exhibition.

### Colwood

The community card party held in the Colwood Hall on Wednesday evening was attended. Prizes for the highest score in five hundred were won by Mrs. R. B. Murray and Mr. W. Dickeron, and consolation prizes went to Mrs. W. Longworth and Mr. A. G. Tyler.

Mrs. G. M. Piercy received the sad news of the passing away of his mother, Mrs. G. O. Piercy, on Thursday morning, and left immediately for Courtenay.

Mrs. D. Kenway has returned, after visiting friends at Sooke.

Mrs. E. Goucher, who has been a patient in the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria, for some time, has returned to her home, Island Highway.

### Port Alberni

Captain Croll and Mr. H. E. Scoville have returned home after spending the past few days in Victoria.

Mrs. Sinclair has returned from Vancouver, where she has been visiting for a short time.

Mrs. C. F. Cook, Ninth Avenue, entertained with a children's party on Thursday afternoon, in honor of

### MISS LAURA AUDAIN

Who has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Danmar, at Hather Park, left yesterday for her home in England and will return to Victoria on Saturday. She was accompanied by Miss Eva Short, who will visit relatives in England.

Her son, Davis, is being the occasion of his eighth birthday. The reception room and tea table were artistically decorated in appropriate St. Patrick colors.

Mrs. H. H. Pieglar, of Victoria, is visiting in Port Alberni, and is a guest at the Somers Hotel.

Miss Grirson, R.N., of the Victorian Order of Nurses, is visiting in Vancouver.

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OTTAWA, Ont., March 15.—Between \$4,000 and \$5,000 was the loot of a lone bandit who held up the branch of the Banque Canadienne Nationale on Beechwood Avenue in

the suburb of Eastview at 11 o'clock this morning.

A young clerk, sole occupant of the bank when the bandit walked in the front door, was forced to stand with his face to the wall, hands ransacked above his head, while the man ransacked the cashier's till and escaped.

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### Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted unless over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of exceptions.

#### AMERICAN FILMS

Sir.—Mr. John A. Cooper's letter in your issue of today came as a very welcome criticism to mine of January 28 to you. He states that I am unfair in my remarks with regard to the Provincial Government in setting up an appeal board in connection with the motion picture censorship.

Mr. Cooper, as president of the Motion Picture Distributors and Exhibitors Association, and thus representative of the motion picture trust, cannot be blind to the fact that there exists in our Dominion (to say nothing of the other parts of our Empire) a monopoly, which has not only gathered into its clutches distributors of "movies," but exhibitors as well. By this means the motion picture pictures trust naturally reserves the right to distribute its own productions to the extent of about 90 per cent; with the consequence that our British films of sterling worth, from technical and scenario point of view, have little or no chance of being shown on Canadian screens. Those of poor quality are very graciously allowed to go through to the bars for the benefit of American productions. This is a direct reply to those who ask why we see so many poor British pictures in this country. Mr. Cooper is aware how certain Canadian authors have submitted top-notch stories to the "bars of the trust" for release, and they have been rejected, solely on the grounds that they were Canadian and would interfere with the American productions.

What else has this monopoly done to our Dominion by its strangulation? By the huge preponderance of the exhibition of American pictures it has been in a position to disseminate propaganda boasting American goods, manners, customs and the American army, having almost throughout the civilized world. Canadian screens continually show references to "our President," "our Secretary of State," "our wonderful aircraft carrier Lexington," etc., in fact, giving prominence to everything American to the detriment of our trade, our Empire and the British Isles.

In Great Britain, 750 miles of American film are shown daily, and it may be judged from this fact alone how much propaganda is being sown every day.

At the present time all American film interests are consolidated in the Motion Picture Producers' and Distributors of America, Inc. This vast organization has as its chief

executive W.H. Hays, who said on his inauguration that the object of his organization would be "to sell America to the world in American motion pictures." He stated in his report last month to the United States Chamber of Commerce, in remarking on the sensational increase in film business, that "it was significant not only as a measure of the industry's progress, but also reflected the value of the film as sales instrumentality for other American manufactured products." The United States Department of Commerce declares that every foot of film exported brings \$1 to the United States in general export trade, and that the total export of film is now 250,000,000 feet per annum.

In addition to this state of affairs, we have another which is just as insidious and dangerous, that is the moral aspect of the screen today. Without pretending to be ultra-moral, the tremendous amount of criminal and immoral suggestion that is being shown on the screen every day throughout this country is very pernicious.

Does this tend to strengthen the morals of our children? Does it tend to build up decent future citizens of our Dominion? Emphatically, no! Fortunately, most of us realize that the film do not emanate from the real honest-to-goodness Americans, but from a small coterie of "berry-pickers." America is grossly represented in the film from within at the fifth and thinnest part of the screen; to use the words of one of the United States most prominent sociologists, "America sowed sins and reaped the 'movies.'"

This state of affairs of the "movies" is true in every respect, does it not? As far as British subjects are concerned, we as Britons should take not only due patriotic measures such as Mr. Cooper condemns? I appeal to the public to judge whether I am unfair in stating that, if the Provincial Government had made a determined stand with a really strong censorship board, not only would an appeal board be unnecessary, but such a weak front to the motion picture trust, which is so insidiously attacking our British prestige, industries and morals and, incidentally, all the interests of our citizens, as Canadians, surely the interests of British Columbia and the Dominion come first. Let us therefore shun the motion trust that in future will be unable to force upon us some pictures on an unwilling public (to use Mr. Cooper's own words).

I appreciate Mr. Cooper's remarks with regard to the Quota Act, and it may readily be surmised why it has been non-effective in the presence of such a stifling monopoly.

It happens that Mr. Clearihue, for instance, on a property, the buildings at the corner of Fort and Stadacona Streets, which is practically obsolete, received \$2,144.45 for his sacrifice. Amounts, you see, vary.

Permit me to add a few more lines. That portion of Fort Street is a trunk road. Why should it be widened at the expense of a few property owners? Also there are fewer accidents there than in almost any portion of the city.

Last year when the present Mayor endeavored to effect the building on the south side of Fort Street, between Government and Douglas Streets, a very narrow and dangerous business section, with few exceptions, were renovated or torn down, and rebuilt at enormous cost. I did not hear that the civic authorities wished to widen the street there when it could very readily be done.

It was not done. Why? Because the business men would not consent to give up their chance of a lifetime, an enormous advantage to the business section, with the Pemberton Building the only one affected, and it could have had the lower front portion made into an arcade.

D. H. BALE, Contractor, 1402 Stadacona, corner Fort Street, Victoria, B.C., March 15, 1930.

In conclusion, may I state that we Britons are not in the habit of receiving blows without retaliation, and the time is very near at hand when the motion trust will bitterly regret meddling with the old Lion and its cubs. Remember the handwriting on the wall.

DOUGLAS FLINTOFF, Vice-President Better Pictures, Inc., 304 Pemberton Building, Victoria, B.C., March 13, 1930.

DARDANELLES WIDENING

Sir.—For thirty years or more that portion of Fort Street, called by many the Dardanelles of Victoria, has created much comment and great interest has been taken in the projected widening by various ambitious city fathers.

The expense of the project is the

expense of the unfortunate property

owners on that portion of Fort Street, with their properties losing

considerable value. In my own case

steps would depreciate my prop-

erty fully 75 per cent. Of course

in some cases the civic authorities have been very generous. One very

worthy honorable city father

said, "I think it is a

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trunk road. Why should it be

widened at the expense of a few

property owners? Also there are

fewer accidents there than in al-

most any other part of the city.

It was not done. Why? Because

the business men would not con-

sider it a good idea.

It is, according to what I can

see, how much the poor unfor-

tunate can be squeezed. (Squeezed

is a term greatly used in China.)

It happens that Mr. Clearihue,

for instance, on a property, the

buildings at the corner of Fort and

Stadacona Streets, which is

practically obsolete, received \$2,144.45 for his sacrifice. Amounts, you see, vary.

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## Dr. Stanley Jones' New Book Centres Around Pentecost

"The Christ of Every Road," the Third Volume of Series, Shows How Christianity Should Be Applied by Church to Universal Range of Life of Humanity

### Canadian Laymen Will Give Book to Pastors

BACK at his evangelistic work among the intelligentsia of India, Dr. Stanley E. Jones sends out from the Mission House at Sitapur, U.P., the third devotional book in a series, the first and second of which have been "Christ of the Indian Road" and "Christ at the Round Table." The title of the last is "The Christ of Every Road." The genesis of the present volume, which is likely to rank as a best seller with the first issued, is stated by the author to have been in the quiet hours of meditation on shipboard while returning from a recent evangelistic trip in South America. The request of the publishers that Dr. Jones should write a book on Pentecost in view of the celebration during 1930 of the 1900th anniversary of this epochal event has placed before the churches this timely message from one of the acknowledged world leaders of the

the effect that would follow upon the universal commitment on the part of Christians to the Pentecost experience.

In view of its timeliness and the reputation of the author this book will likely be largely read. The laymen of one of the Canadian communions are donating a copy to each of its ministers.

### NOTED MUSICIAN WILL ADJUDICATE

Dr. Healy Willan, of Toronto, to Judge Choral and Vocal Classes at Festival

Dr. Healy Willan, who will judge the choral and vocal classes at the 1930 musical festival, is one of Canada's outstanding musicians with a reputation far exceeding the bounds of this continent. He is not only well-known as an adjudicator and composer, but is also regarded as a leading authority on church music and one of the greatest organists on this continent. After completing his adjudications in Victoria, Dr. Willan is to give a series of organ recitals on his homeward trip.

He was born in England in 1890 and received his fellowship in the Royal College of Organists in 1899. After holding various posts of importance in London, he came to Toronto, Canada, in 1913, as head of the theory department of the Royal Conservatory of Music, and organist and choirmaster of St. Paul's Church. In 1914 he was appointed examiner and lecturer to the University of Toronto, from which institution he later received the degree of Doctor of Music (Honoris causa). In 1920 he became vice-president of the Toronto Conservatory, and in 1921 organist and choirmaster of St. Mary Magdalene's. His ecclesiastical and organ music is well known not only in Canada, but in England and in the United States, he being ranked among the best of the modern British composers.

His career in India began twenty-two years ago when he became pastor of the English Methodist church in the city of Lucknow. Seven years later he began to present Christianity to gatherings of educated Hindus and Mohammedans in various parts of India. He often drew great crowds at which after his address there was freedom for discussion and which led many to become inquirers regarding Christianity. Latterly he held round-table conferences of a limited number of Hindus and Mohammedans. One Christian, of which frank expression was given, as to what each one's particular religion had meant to the participants. The second book is the outcome of these unique gatherings at which, according to the author, almost all the testimony showed the superiority of Christianity.

In surveying Christendom today, Dr. Jones' diagnosis is that "the church is not living in Pentecost. It is living between Easter and Pentecost. Easter stands for life without offering; Pentecost stands for life as it is lived to the full, unafraid and clearly and powerfully witnessing to an adequate way of human living." He states that there was a time when the Christian Church celebrated Whitunday, the anniversary of the coming of the Spirit, more than it did Christmas, the anniversary of the coming of Christ, and asks: "Does it cost less to give gifts at Christmas than to give ourselfs at Pentecost?" The writer claims that the church, because it is not living in the Pentecostal state, is "chanting a litany of defeat." "We have no business," he says, "to be living subnormal, unhealthy, anaemic spiritual lives and call them Christian. They are sub-Christian." Following up this diagnosis, Dr. Jones finds the greatest obstacle to the church's progress is anti-Christianity but sub-Christianity.

In dealing with the distinctive experience of Pentecost, Dr. Jones holds that two outstanding things happened: God, the Living Spirit, became to the disciples overwhelmingly immediate, experimental, vital, and in the fire of that Living Presence the old self-life was burned up and henceforth they had one passion—Christ. There also religion broke its bonds and became universal. This experience Dr. Jones views the coming of Christ into every man's heart as a permanent life, a permanent and all-powerful force as compared with the Christ of the Emmaus road, a transient experience which left the disciples wondering.

The pathway into the apostolic experience at Pentecost, the writer affirms, is that which the Christians of today are to follow. This involved four things: The drawing near to God in prayer; the letting go of one thing after another; the ad-surrender; and complete, an active appropriating faith which became the medium through which the human and the divine were fused into one. "They were all filled with the Holy Ghost." Then follows the release of Christ into all life. The major part of the book is taken up with show-

### MALE VOICE CHOIR SINGING TUESDAY

Under Auspices of St. George's Society Musical Programme Will Be Given

The Victoria Male Voice Choir will be heard on Tuesday evening in Amphion Hall, when it will give a musical programme under the auspices of St. George's Society. Under the leadership of Mr. Frank L. Tupman, this choir, consisting of fifty voices, has made almost phenomenal progress, and today ranks as one of the best male voice choirs in the West.

Miss Isobel Crawford, mezzo-soprano, will be soloist of the evening.

Patrons are requested to make their reservations as advanced as possible, to be in their seats before 8 o'clock. Tickets can now be secured at Fletcher's music store, Davis & King, and the Willis Piano Co.

The following will be the complete programme of the evening:

Choruses, "Laudamus" (Prophets); "Mary" (Bullard); "Tut! Tut! Tut!" (Eggar); tenor solo, "Old Black Mare" (Squire); J. Maurice Thomas; soprano solos, (a) "Songs My Mother Taught Me" (Dvorak); (b) "Piper of Love" (Molly Carew); Miss Isobel Crawford; choruses, "Heath Dem Bells" (Strickland); "Imperial" (Davies); piano solo, selected; Miss Dorothy Marion; baritone solo, (a) "Will o' the Wisp" (Cherry); (b) "Invictus" (Bruno Huhni); G. Maidyn Humphries; choruses, "O Peaceful Night" (German); "Lee Shore" (Jenkins), request; "Mighty Lak a Rose" (Nevin); soprano solo, (a) "Ave" (Pearl); (b) "The Answer" (Terry); Miss Isobel Crawford; male quartette, "Doas Yo Cry Ma Honey" (Noll); Imperial Male Quartette; Messrs. Spooner, Honeychurch, Buckler and Rowley; choruses, "Sylvia" (Speaks); "Buccaneers" (Candish); request, Frank L. Tupman, conductor; Harry H. Hollins, accompanist.

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"I never have admired Shakespeare," said the old lady, "he was such a plagiarist."

"A plagiarist? Why—!"

"Indeed he was! His plays are simply filled with quotations."

### "Take the Afternoon Off —I'll Watch the Oven"



"What delicious surprise are you planning for your family for dinner this evening? A fluffy new cake? A new kind of pie? An unusual pudding? All right—just stir up the ingredients, put them in the oven, and go where you please. I'll watch the baking. And the heat won't vary one whit while you're gone." So says this helpful little elf of the modern Gas Range, Oven Heat Control.

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### Will Judge at Festival



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Just after giving \$100,000 to a sausage and ice-cream manufacturer in Sutton, England, died recently.

### SHOWROOM IS FINISHED

JAMESON MOTORS, LIMITED,  
HAS COMPLETED NEW PREMISES

Will Be Devoted to Demonstration of General Electric Refrigerators

Jameson Motors, Ltd., of 740roughton Street, has just completed a fine showroom for the purpose of exhibiting and demonstrating General Electric refrigerators, which line they have handled ever since its introduction into Canada three years ago. The rapidly increasing demand, and the necessity of proper display, has dictated the construction of a department that will rival in quality and finish the splendid showrooms completed last year for Studebaker and Erskine cars, of which they are the Victoria agents. These latter are considered the finest on the Pacific Coast, and the new addition is equally in keeping.

All steel General Electric refrigerator, which has been growing increasingly popular in Victoria during the past few years, holds the enviable record of not costing one purchaser a cent in repairs or trouble. Mr. Jameson made his selection of this line from experience and knowledge, work upon which he has been engaged since 1898. It is worthy of note that he installed one of the first refrigerators of the Aufidern principle on a C.P.R. boat as early as 1910. This principle, now found exclusively in the General Electric products, is that of hermetically sealed refrigeration.

"Very well," said the woman with icy decision, "go on with your wild career. Drink your cocktails, paint your face, and when you laquer your fingernails, dance from midnight to dawn, dash about with your disreputable friends, rush at your mad pace down the slippery slope to ruin and—well, ruin. But remember, from this time forth you are no grandma of mine."

### Bovril Limited Set New Sales Record

Chairman Gives Credit to Advertising, Which Prevents "That Sinking Feeling" in Sales

Presiding at the thirty-third annual general meeting of Bovril Limited, held recently at the Royal Hotel, London, the chairman, Lord Luke, is reported in The London Times as saying that not only did the sales of Bovril in 1929 surpass all previous records, but the increase was at an accelerated pace. The year showed a larger increase over its predecessor than any previous year with the one exception of 1919, when conditions were abnormal.

Although advertising was considerably increased, additional sales were many times the amount of the extra advertising, so they had no cause for complaint.

One of the problems with which the company would be faced in the not too distant future would be that of securing adequate supplies of first quality beef. Serious steps, he felt, would have to be taken to increase the quantity and improve the quality of the beef the Dominions could in future spare for Great Britain.

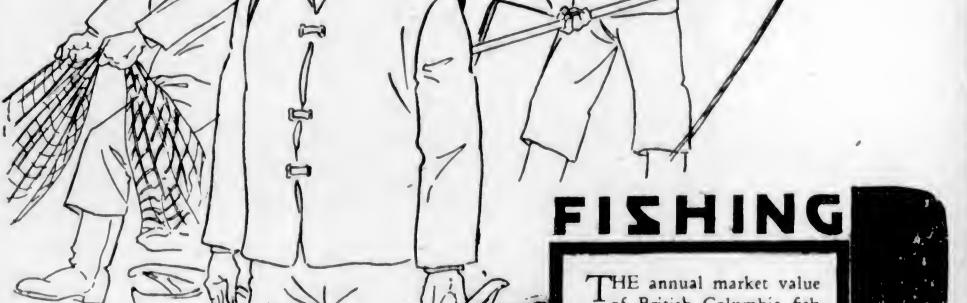
In the United States about to enact very substantial increases in the rates of duty against Canadian cattle and beef, it is encouraging to note, from the above remarks of Lord Luke, that a market to replace the one from which Canadian stock raisers will be shut out is beginning to open up.

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Smith: "I suppose your landlord asks you a lot for the rent of this house?"

Brown: "I should think he does; at least twice a month."

## BUILDING BRITISH COLUMBIA'S PAYROLLS



### FISHING



THE annual market value of British Columbia fish and by-products exceeds \$25,000,000. This work employs 19,000 men with a payroll running into millions of dollars.

This basic British Columbia industry is assisted greatly by the supply of Home Petroleum Products through the twenty-four Home marine floats located at convenient points along the coast.

British Columbia's prosperity, payrolls and progress, depend on her industries. Support them!

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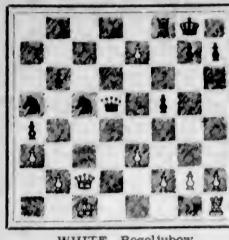
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CHESS COLUMN  
"Good company's a chessboard."  
—Baron's "Don Juan."By T. H. PIPER  
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BLACK—Nimzowitch

WHITE—Bogoljubow

The play is the end of the second game.

WHITE BLACK

23. P x R, Q's ch. 23. K x Q.  
24. R Q 1 24. Q K 4  
25. P R 3 25. P R 4  
26. P K N 4 26. R P x P  
27. R P x P 27. N (R 4) N 6 ch.  
28. K N 1 28. P x P  
29. R N 1 29. Q C 4  
30. R Q 1 30. Q K 5  
31. K N 1 31. Q K 7 ch  
32. K B 1 32. Q Q 4  
33. Q R 7 33. N (Q 7) K 5  
34. Q R 8 ch. 34. K B 2  
35. K N 1 35. Q Q 6 ch.

White resigns.

For if 36. K R 1, N N 6 ch; 37. K R 2, N B 6 ch; 38. P x N, Q B 7, or 36. K R 2, N B 6 ch; 39. P x N, Q B 7 ch; 38. K R 1, N N 6, mate.

The game and notes (in part) are taken from *The Field*.

A brilliancy from a Vienna tournament.

WHITE BLACK

Anon. 1. P K 4 1. P K 4  
2. N K B 3 2. N Q B 3  
3. B N 5 3. P B 4  
4. N B 3 4. P x P  
5. Q N x P 5. N B 3  
6. N x N 6. Q N  
7. P Q 3, or 6. Q K 2.  
7. Castles 7. B K 2  
8. B B 4 8. Q C B  
9. N K 1 9. N K 4  
10. B Q 5 10. Q K N 3  
11. P Q 4 11. N N 5  
12. B B 3 12. Q R 4  
13. P N 13. Q C B  
14. P Q N 3 14. P Q 3  
15. P B 4 15. Q K 3  
16. P Q 5 16. Q N 3  
If 16... Q x N P; 17. Q x Q.  
B x Q; 18. R B 4.  
17. P K R 3 17. P K R 4  
18. P x P 18. R x P  
19. K R 2 19. B P!  
20. P x B 20. Castles  
21. N N 2 21. R x P ch!  
22. Q N 1 22. Q R 1  
23. B B 4 23. B R 5 ch!  
24. Q K 2 24. Q R 5 ch!  
25. B B 7 ch! 25. B B 7 ch!  
26. R x B ch 26. R x B ch  
27. Q N 6 ch. 27. Q N 6 ch.  
mate next move

A battle of Titans follows, for which we are indebted to San Remo. The mantle of Steinitz must be concealed in Black's wardrobe.

WHITE BLACK

Bogoljubow Nimzowitch  
1. P Q 4 1. N K B 3  
2. P Q B 4 2. P K 3  
3. N Q B 3 3. B N 5  
4. Q N 3 4. P B 4  
5. P x P 5. N N 3  
6. B B 3 6. N K 5  
7. B Q 2 7. N Q B P!  
8. Q B 2 8. P B 4  
9. P K 3 9. Castles  
10. B K 2 10. P Q N 3  
11. Castles Q R 11. P Q R 4  
12. P Q R 3 12. P R 5  
11. Castles K R was safer. If 13. P x B, N x P wins the Q.  
13. N N 5 13. B x C ch  
14. N x B 14. N R 4  
15. B B 3 15. P Q 4  
16. P x P 16. B R 3  
17. N B 4 17. B N x  
If 17. N B 3, B Q 6, or 17. N Q 4. B Q 6; 18. Q B 1, R B 1, or 17. B K 2, Q x P threatening Q F 7.  
18. P x P 18. Q B 2  
19. B x R 19. B x N  
20. B Q 5 20. B x N  
21. R x B 21. Q B 3  
22. P K 7 22. Q x R

SOUND AUCTION  
and CONTRACT  
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The longer the suit, the weaker is the defensive value.

♦ A 3	♦ A K 8 5 4 3
♦ K 7	♦ 19 9 3
♦ A 10 7 5 4	♦ 2
♦ 9 8 6	W E ♦ Q 10 7 2
♦ K Q 8 6 4	♦ A Q 10 5 4 3
♦ J 9 6	♦ K Q J 9 8 6
♦ 2	♦ A J
♦ 7 5 2	

make even four odd, had South held the two quick tricks guaranteed by his original bid.

There is one more point, however, to be considered in respect to the above bidding, and that is, North's example of the Diamond Contract. Granted the contract can be defeated, there can be no logical assumption of defeating it more than one trick. Thus, the additional fifty points to be gained by doubling is but a drop in the bucket compared to the possible loss involved by doubling. Hence, North's double was not out of the question of view, but also from the point of view that it located doubled values, which, when so located, could well enable East to make a contract he might not otherwise make.

SALENT POINTS OF THE BIDDING  
Action: South passing. West opens the bidding with one Spade. North over-calls with two Hearts and East bids three Diamonds. South passes as his Spade suit has been adversely bid and his support for the first round assured him of a first round assured of what may be no more than a defensive bid by North following South's pass. West and North also pass, concluding the bidding.

Contract: In Contract, as in Auction, South passes and West opens the bidding with one Spade; North, two Hearts; East, three Diamonds; and South, four West. With both the Hearts and Diamonds bid, Selecting the middle of a game.

"If he had not been so timid, his hesitation would spell complete failure. Actually his mind is brilliant, and he succeeds. We suspect that it is often the case that his struggle within himself is greater than his struggle against his opponent."

The tournament director, the Marquise Rossello del Turco, a former champion, has this to say of the comic of management left nothing undone in catering to the comfort of the competitors and the convenience of visitors, and the quietness so necessary to the production of chess of the highest type was strictly enforced. A book of the tournament, enriched by classics of rare beauty, will result to the delight of the chess world.

South is undecided whether to lead the King of Spades or his partner's suit. Heeding the advice of the latter, South leads the Jack of Hearts. The Dummy going down, East pauses to consider how best to make his contract. If he can trump three Heart tricks and discard a Heart on the third round of Clubs without being overruled, he can afford to lose the King and Jack of Diamonds and trumps the eight of Hearts. South, holding the maximum of at least four defensive tricks guaranteed by his original bid.

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